

Shipping Intelligence

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED

March 26—Sloop *Hamley*, Hollins, Nanaimo.
 Sloop *New World*, Winger, Port Townsend.
 Sloop *Eliza*, Anderson, Finch, Port Townsend.
 CLEARED.
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 Sloop *Lady Franklin*, Pritchard, San Juan.
 Sloop *Longwater*, Harper, Nanaimo.

Auction Sales To-day.

J. P. DAVIES & CO., Wharf street, will sell at 11 o'clock, a.m., at the residence of Mr F. V. Lee, Rae street, Household Furniture, &c.

THE VOLUNTEER BENEFIT at the theatre last night was equal to any of the former efforts of our amateurs, who, under the competent management and direction of Mr Marsh, are acquiring a histrionic reputation that will compare favorably with the best company of professionals that has yet catered for the public amusement on these boards. An evening with the Dramatic Club is now looked forward to as one of the events of the day; they not only furnish a vast amount of entertainment, but spare no pains in rendering their performances as successful and agreeable as possible to their patrons; and lucky is the institution that can ensure their valuable aid in these hard times. The attendance last night was one of the largest and most intelligent that has yet been crowded within the walls of the theatre, more reserved seats having been secured for this than for any previous benefit; and we think we can safely say that every individual constituting that large assemblage went away not only pleased but delighted with the whole of last night's programme. His Honor Chief Justice Needham, Capt. Oldfield and Officers of the Fleet, and Capt. Pearce, V. R. C., the patrons of the evening, were present, and the percentage of ladies who graced the house with their presence was unusually large. Of the orchestral department we shall have occasion to speak to-morrow. The rifle corps fund, we shall be happy to hear, has been handsomely augmented by the proceeds of this splendid benefit.

AID FOR A REAL CHARITY.—It is proposed to hold, on Easter Monday evening, (22d April,) a Soiree and Collation at the St. Nicholas Hall in aid of the orphans of St. Ann's Convent. There are thirty-two little ones of all denominations at this institution whose wants are attended to by the Sisters without fee or reward—the labor being purely one of Christian charity—and many friends who wish to manifest their sympathy for the praiseworthy efforts of the Sisters have projected this entertainment. We know, from personal observation, that the charity is a real one, and we therefore conscientiously recommend each our readers to contribute at least the price of one ticket towards the support of so worthy an object.

TRAGEDY.—A shooting affair occurred at Knight's Ferry, California, February 15. George T. Cheshire, a schoolteacher, was assaulted by a Mr McGuinness, whose daughter the former had turned out of his school. In the struggle, Cheshire shot four balls into McGuinness, killing him instantly. Soon after, a son of McGuinness shot Cheshire through the head, the ball penetrating the brain and lodging in the skull. At last accounts, Cheshire was alive, but with barely a chance of recovery.

DISCHARGED.—The young man from Portland, who was taken into custody upon a charge of defrauding his employers, was yesterday discharged by the Police Magistrate, and "left the Court without a stain on his character." It appears that the telegram requesting that he be held until the arrival of the *Fideliter*, was based upon a misapprehension. Upon the arrival here of one of the Portland firm, an examination of his accounts was held, and everything found to be in the highest sense satisfactory.

STEAM COLLIERIES.—The *Nanaimo Gazette* says: Mr Weid, lately from England, arrived by the Sir James Douglas on Tuesday last. We have been told that his business here is to make arrangements for a line of steam colliers to ply between this port and San Francisco; it is expected the arrangements will shortly be completed and the vessels running before the fall.

A DESPATCH from San Francisco announces the sudden death of Mr. Walter McInture, agent for the Colorado line of steamships. The flags of the shipping and on the American Consulate, were placed at half-mast in consequence. Deceased was a young man of great promise, and his numerous friends here are filled with grief on the announcement of his demise.

ICE FROM NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.—Capt. Hewitt, of the schooner *Nanaimo Packet*, returned from Langley, Fraser river, with a cargo of twenty-five tons of ice for A. Phillips. The blocks average two feet in thickness, and furnish unimpeachable evidence of the severity of the weather in the vicinity of the capital.

FALL OF TREASURE.—The bottom of one of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s wagons gave way in San Francisco, on the night of the 18th inst., and \$15,000 in gold dust and bars were deposited in the mud instead of in the bank vaults. The treasure was carefully guarded and conveyed to the office in two wagons.

WATERFALLS.—A little girl in one of the Gloucester (Mass.) public schools, being asked in the course of her geography lesson what a waterfall was, replied that it was "hair wrapped around her dad's old stocking."

OVER THE SOUND.—The Pixley family are preparing for a professional trip over the Sound. Wherever the troupe has performed its talented members have made themselves great favorites, and the public will part with them with regret.

DR. TOLMIE.—We are glad to notice that Dr. Tolmie has so far improved in health as to be able to drive to town, and that there is now every prospect of his complete and speedy restoration to health.

FROM NANAIMO.—The Isabel returned yesterday morning. She reports the ships *Revere*, *Silas Greenman* and *Scotland* at the mines. The *Greenman* was ready for sea.

NEW SPRING GOODS.—At VICTORIA HOUSE—(corner of Fort and Douglas streets,) are now being unpacked the first instalment of their spring goods received by last steamer, comprising novelties in dress materials for spring and summer wear, Ladies' and Children's Mantles and Jackets, Hats, Bonnets, &c., &c.

The Legislature of the State of Nevada being about to adjourn, the *Virginia Enterprise* characterises the members as the most "graceless set of scamps that ever attempted to legislate!"

SEIZURES.—Heavy seizures of Chinese goods have been made at San Francisco, on the plea that their value was understated at the Custom House.

THE NEXT STEAMER.—The *California* will sail from San Francisco for Victoria, on Saturday the 30th instant, and will therefore be due here on the following Thursday.

A PORTION of the fence surrounding a lot on Government street was torn down on Monday night and a quantity of scantling stolen.

THE STEAMSHIP *Orizaba* is having her upper works removed to render her a safe boat for the northern coast trade.

THANKS.—We are indebted to Capt. Kohl for a file of late San Francisco papers, received per *Fideliter*.

REV E. WHITE is officiating at the Wesleyan Church, Nanaimo, during the absence of Dr. Evans.

THE ENTERPRISE will sail this morning for the river.

POTATOES weighing 2½ lbs are common at Nanaimo.

The coal shipments from Nanaimo for the month of March, will exceed 3300 tons.

Rebus.

MESSRS EDITORS:—Will you kindly publish the following rebus for the amusement and puzzle of your young readers, and oblige
 A SCHOOL GIRL.

B & D

Card from Hon. J. D. Pemberton.

NEW WESTMINSTER, 22d March, 1867.

EDITORS COLONIST.—In your paper of the 21st inst., I am reported to have said in connection with the motion for a remission of certain duties in favor of lumber mills: "Thought \$1 per M on lumber manufactured not unreasonable." I should recommend \$1.50 instead of \$1." What I intended to say would read: "Thought a drawback should be allowed on lumber exported, not exceeding \$1 per M., believing that lumber can be produced at the Sound cheaper by \$1.50 per M., than in this Colony."

I may perhaps be allowed to add that I am confident this condition of matters will be reversed as soon as the capital invested in the lumber trade is equal to that invested in the business on the Sound, and that the policy indicated by the resolution of the Council to-day, if persevered in, will tend, rapidly to promote the desired end, and will divert no considerable number of the fleet of lumber vessels, which hitherto have passed us by, to these shores.

I am, sir,
 Your obedient servant,
 J. D. PEMBERTON.

THE PEOPLE'S FRIEND.

PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER.

The Greatest Family Medicine of the Age

Taken internally, it cures sudden colds, coughs, etc., weak stomach, general debility, nervous sore mouth, canker, liver complaint, dyspepsia or indigestion, cramp and pain in the stomach, bowel complaint, painters' colic, Asiatic cholera, diarrhoea, and dysentery. APPLIED EXTERNALLY, cures felons, boils and old sores, severe burns and scalds, cuts, bruises and sprains, swollen joints, ringworm and tetter, broken breasts, frost-bitten feet and chilblains, toothache, pain in the face, rheumatism and neuralgia. It is a SURE REMEDY FOR AGUE AND CHILLS AND FEVER.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Outward Infirmitie.—Before the discovery of these remedies, many cases of sore, ulcers, &c., were pronounced to be hopelessly incurable, because the treatment pursued tended to destroy the strength it was incompetent to preserve, and to exasperate the symptoms it was inadequate to remove. Holloway's Pills exert the most wholesome powers over unhealthy flesh or skin, without irritating the patient from fresh air and exercise, and thus the constitutional vigor is invigorated; while the most malignant ulcers, abscesses, and skin diseases are in process of cure. Each Ointment and Pills make the blood purer, instead of permitting it to fall into that poor and watery state so fatal to many laboring under chronic ulcerations.

Auction Sales.

Real Estate

Mortgagees Sale

THE WHITE HORSE SALOON.

P. M. BACKUS

WILL SELL,

On Tuesday, April 9,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

AT SALESROOM

Wharf Street,

The following properties, viz:

LOT 1243, on the corner of Humboldt and McClure streets, together with the buildings thereon, which consist of Two Cottages rented to good tenants, and the Brick and Stone Building known as the White Horse Saloon. This building cost between \$7,000 and \$8,000 to build, is two stories high, two walls of solid stone, and three walls of brick; has eight rooms altogether, including Bar-room; has been licensed for three years, and is the only house of that kind in the neighborhood.

—ALSO—

A FARM IN LAKE DISTRICT,

known as Bailey's Farm, containing about 150 acres; section 1 W 16, S and North half of section 17, with buildings and improvements.

Auction Sales.

J. P. Davies & Co

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Salesroom Fireproof Stone Building, Wharf Street near Yates.

Cash advances made on Consignments.

NOTICE.

In connection with our Real Estate business, we have had made, by competent Surveyors, two large Maps, each 6 feet square, of the City of Victoria, together with the Suburban Property, &c., &c.; also, a large Map of Esquimaux and the surrounding Property.

WEDNESDAY

We are Instructed by

F. V. LEE, Esq.,

TO SELL,

At Public Auction,

At his Residence, Rae Street, opposite Christ Church,

THIS DAY

Wednesday, Mar. 27,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

HIS SUPERIOR

Household Furniture

Comprising:

Parlor:

Marble Top and Centre Tables
 Handsome Brussels Carpets and Rugs
 Damask and Lace Curtains, with Gilt Cornices
 Easy, Rocking and other Chairs
 One fine Toned Piano, in handsome Walnut Case, a Superior Instrument
 Large Looking Glass, Ornaments, Books

Sitting & Diningroom

1 Lounge, Mahogany table
 Curtains and Cornices, Carpets, Rugs, Clocks, Pictures, Ornaments
 Chairs, Sideboard, Dining-tables, Velvet Table Covers, Glassware, Decanters
 Plated-ware, Carpets, Table Linen

Bedroom:

One Elegant, Handsomely Carved Mahogany Bedroom Set, with Marble Tops
 Spring Mattresses, Feather Bed
 Pillows, Sheets, Blankets,
 Counterpanes, Carpets

Kitchen Furniture

&c., &c., &c.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Auctioneers.

THURSDAY

BY ORDER OF

J. D. PEMBERTON,

At the

Cattle Sale Yard,

FORT STREET

TO-MORROW

Thursday, March 28,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

7 Pigs, unless previously reclaimed.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Auctioneers.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED INTENDING TO leave by next steamer for Europe, Requests that all outstanding claims against him be sent in immediately for liquidation.
 W. L. FORD A. HARRIS.
 Victoria, V.I., March 23d, 1867.

Auction Sales

J. P. DAVIES & CO.—Continued.

TUESDAY,

Tuesday, April 2nd,

AT SALESROOM,

Wharf street.

Farming Land

CITY & SUBURBAN

PROPERTY,

Farming Land.

LOT XCIV (97) Lake District, containing (104) One Hundred and Four Acres.

This First-class Farming Land is situated about 5 miles from town, on the Saanich Road, opposite Bailey's Hotel. The land is fenced on three sides, and has First-class Water Privileges for Mill purposes.

N. B.—One-half the Purchase money can remain for Six months, at one per cent. per month.

Suburban Property.

ALL those certain pieces or parcels of Land situated near Portage Inlet, measuring Two Acres more or less, (as per plan to be seen at the office of the Auctioneers). This property is very desirable, being well situated on the Arm, near the City and partly fenced.

City Property.

All that piece or parcel of Land situate in Victoria, V.I., and known on the official map of the same as Town Lot 206, situate on Humboldt street, having a frontage of sixty-six (66) feet, by a depth of one hundred and forty (140) feet, more or less, together with the four-roomed lathed and plastered Verandah Cottage residence thereon, Stabling and Outhouses.

ACTS OF SALE AT BUYER'S EXPENSE

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
 Auctioneers.

Fresh Garden Seeds.

MOORE & CO,

Have received by Express, from the

SHAKER'S GARDEN,

MOUNT LEBANON, NEW YORK,

Their Eighth Annual Supply of

FRESH AND RELIABLE

GARDEN SEEDS,

Selected especially for this Market, and guaranteed to be of Last Year's Growth.

For Sale at Reasonable Rates by
MOORE & CO.,
 Druggists,
 Yates street

DEWEY & CO. PATENT AGENTS,
 ENGINEERS AND PUBLISHERS,
 Mining & Scientific Press,
 CIRCULARS FREE.
 SAN FRANCISCO.

TO SHEEP FARMERS, CATTLE DEALERS, &c.

TO LEASE, AT A LOW RENTAL, 500 Acres of Fenced Pasture Land, distant from Victoria 1½ miles.

Apply to W. H. McNEILL, J. D. PEMBERTON, or to
FARMING LAND FOR SALE.
 FIFTY-SEVEN ACRES OF PRIME Farming Land, in Victoria District, within three miles of the city, on a good road. A considerable part of it is fenced and has been under cultivation. There is a small Cottage upon it, and a never-failing spring of water.

Will be sold on LIBERAL TERMS.
 For particulars, apply to
 H. F. HEISTERMAN,
 Land Agent,
 28 Government street.

NOTICE

ESTATE OF OPPENHEIMER & CO.
 Dividend No. 3—Five per Cent.—will be paid at the office of Mr. Weissenburger, Government street, on and after Monday the 25th inst.
 Victoria, V.I., 22d March, 1867.

DAVID LENEVEU, F. WEISSENBURGER,
 Trustees.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between George Pearkes and William Saunders (deceased) under the style of Pearkes & Saunders, is dissolved by mutual consent. John Murray is authorized to receive all moneys due to the late firm, and all claims against the said firm are to be sent in to the said George Pearkes for liquidation.
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Auction Sales.

Real Estate SALE.

Detached Villa Residence!

Comfortable Dwelling House, &c.

A. T. ELLIOTT

Has been instructed to sell,

BY AUCTION,

AT THE CITY AUCTION ROOMS,

On Friday, March 29

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

That unique detached villa on Quadra st, erected by Mr. Alfred Bowden, and now in the occupation of John Dickson, Esq., together with the subdivision of the lot on which the house is built, having a frontage of 66 feet on Quadra and 128 feet on Frederick street.

This charming family residence is situated on a rising eminence, commanding a delightful view of the city, the harbour, and the adjacent scenery and for healthful location is unsurpassed, being free from the evils arising from deficient drainage or exposure to bleak winds.

The House contains dining and drawing rooms, two bedrooms, pantry and kitchen, all hard finished, is plastered outside and altogether built with first class workmanship. There are also a good stable, outhouses, well, and a garden neatly laid out and stocked with fruit trees.

ALSO

That neat and desirable Dwelling House, erected on the remainder of the lot, containing diningroom, parlor, bedroom, and kitchen, hard finished and papered inside, with outhouses, well, and every convenience.

This portion of the property has a frontage of 42 feet on Frederick street and the garden is well stocked with fruit trees and is in a high state of cultivation.

Persons desirous of obtaining comfortable residences within an easy distance of the business portion of the City, will find this a most desirable opportunity. Capitalists may secure a safe and productive investment.

TERMS

One-half Cash; remainder in 12 months at one and a half per cent.

ALSO

In accordance with instructions received from the Executors of HENRY RICHARDS, deceased.

LOT 1908 on Superior street, James Bay together with the commodious Dwelling House thereon erected, containing four good-sized rooms, papered and ceiled, extensive cellarage; well, pump and other conveniences, and a large and productive garden with fruit trees; surrounded with a picket fence.

This comfortable suburban residence is situated in a pleasant and fashionable neighborhood, and may, at a small outlay, be adapted to the most fastidious taste.

ALSO

THAT valuable Property, known as subdivision Lot No. 9, of City Lot No. 1796, in Princess street, James Bay, being a most eligible site for a small homestead.

ALSO,

LOT No. 7, of the Oakland's Estate, comprising one acre more or less.

This Lot is on the most valuable portion of the above Property, being free from rocks, and having a deep rich black soil, highly suitable for horticultural purposes.

—ALSO—

That First-class property known as Sub-division 30 of 5 acre Lot No. 8, having a depth of 150 feet, and a frontage on Quadra Street of 50 feet, with a fine alluvial soil free from rocks.

TERMS CASH.

ACTS OF SALE AT BUYER'S EXPENSE

A CAPITAL CHANCE!

SELLING OFF

NO HUMBUG!!

LEWIS LEWIS,

About retiring from Business, offers his select Stock of

American & French Costume-made

CLOTHING,

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Come one and all and examine the Fashionable and well-made Business and Black Dress Suits; Shaker's (Enameled) Underclothing; Silk Underclothing; Welsh Flannel and White American; Dress Shirts; Fashionable Hats and caps, and a General Assortment of Furnishing Goods.

Remember the store of
LEWIS LEWIS,
 On Yates street, Victoria, V.I.

Auction Sales.

AUCTION

TRADE SALE

Tuesday, April 3, '67,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

J. A. M'CREA

Is instructed by Messrs.

Janion, Green & Rhodes

TO SELL,

At their Warehouse, on Store street,

TO CLOSE INVOICES,

PEREMPTORY AND POSITIVE SALE,

WITHOUT RESERVE,

On a Liberal Credit,

